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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## CONTRUCTION TO BEGIN ON DAY STREET IN MORENO VALLEY

**MORENO VALLEY** – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) announces the beginning of construction for the support columns that will sustain the bridge widening of the SR-60 directly above Day Street. The work will begin the evening of May 1, 2006 and will consist of primarily night work. It is anticipated that the construction will be completed toward the end of 2006, prior to the holiday season.

Safety is a high priority for Caltrans, not only for the field crews, but for the motorists who travel through this area as well. In line with safety, this construction phase will require a reduction in lanes in various locations. The extra space is needed to move large equipment and materials within the construction zone as well as perform the necessary building of the columns for the bridge. One lane in each direction will be available on Day Street, where it crosses under the SR-60. The westbound off-ramp center turn lane will be removed, making one lane available to turn south onto Day Street. Motorists are encouraged to allow for additional travel time when traveling through this area.

Caltrans would like to thank motorists for their continued patience and support during the 60/91/215 improvement project. Caltrans asks that motorists please be aware of the construction area and always make a point to **SLOW FOR THE CONE ZONE**.

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